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Security Council

10:00 — 7282nd meeting [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

   Report of the Secretary-General on South Sudan (S/2014/708*)

Morning[1] — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room

United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS) (S/2014/708*)

Other matters

15:00 — 7283rd meeting [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Consideration of the draft report of the Security Council to the General Assembly

Afternoon[2] — 7284th meeting [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Somalia

   Report of the Secretary-General on the situation with respect to piracy and armed robbery at sea off the coast of Somalia (S/2014/740)

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[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 7282nd meeting.
[2]To be held following the adjournment of the 7283rd meeting.

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Afternoon[1]	Consultations of the whole (closed) Somalia piracy (S/2014/740) Other matters	Consultations Room

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 7284th meeting of the Security Council.

General Assembly
Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries

The second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will take place in Vienna, Austria from Monday, 3 to Wednesday, 5 November 2014. The list of speakers *is open for inscriptions*. Delegations are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat, *in writing*, by e-mail (Ms. Antonina Poliakova (poliakova@un.org)). For additional information, please see page 20.

General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

Main Committees

First Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — 14th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4

Thematic discussion on item subjects and introduction and consideration of all draft resolutions and decisions submitted under agenda items (items 87 to 104)

Conventional weapons cluster (continued)

[Documents of the Committee: *item 87* (A/69/135 and A/69/135/Add.1); *item 88*; *item 89* (A/C.1/69/L.7); *item 90*; *item 91* (A/69/112, A/69/112/Add.1 and A/C.1/69/L.26); *item 92* (A/69/130 (Part I), A/69/130 (Part I)/Add.1 and A/C.1/69/L.1); *item 93* (A/C.1/69/L.27); *item 94* (A/C.1/69/L.3 and A/C.1/69/L.14); *item 95* (A/C.1/69/L.13); *item 96* (A/69/124, A/69/124/Add.1, A/69/123, A/69/151, A/69/113, A/69/113/Add.1, A/69/132, A/69/140, A/69/173, A/69/173/Add.1, A/69/172, A/69/172/Add.1, A/69/114, A/69/114/Add.1, A/69/115, A/69/152, A/69/118, A/69/118/Add.1, A/69/131, A/69/131/Add.1, A/69/138, A/69/138/Add.1, A/69/154, A/69/154/Add.1, A/69/116, A/69/139, A/C.1/69/L.4, A/C.1/69/L.5, A/C.1/69/2, A/C.1/69/L.11, A/C.1/69/L.17, A/C.1/69/L.28, A/C.1/69/L.29, A/C.1/69/L.31, A/C.1/69/L.32, A/C.1/69/L.38, A/C.1/69/L.30, A/C.1/69/L.37, A/C.1/69/L.34, A/C.1/69/L.25, A/C.1/69/L.36, A/C.1/69/L.23, A/C.1/69/L.12, A/C.1/69/L.21, A/C.1/69/L.22, A/C.1/69/L.20, A/C.1/69/L.10 and A/C.1/69/L.18); *item 97* (A/69/134, A/69/168, A/69/127, A/69/136, A/69/133, A/69/361, A/C.1/69/L.9 and A/C.1/69/L.16); *item 98* (A/69/176, A/69/208, A/69/27, A/69/42 and A/C.1/69/L.8); *item 99* (A/69/130 (Part II) and A/C.1/69/L.2); *item 100* (A/C.1/69/L.33); *item 101* (A/69/169); *item 102* (A/69/137); *item 103* (A/C.1/69/L.6); and *item 104* (A/C.1/69/L.19)

[Other documents: A/C.1/69/1, A/C.1/69/CRP.1, A/C.1/69/CRP.2/Rev.1, A/C.1/69/INF/1 and A/C.1/69/INF/4]

[The list of speakers for thematic discussion closed yesterday at 18:00. Delegations are reminded that the time limit for statements during the thematic discussions is *five minutes* when speaking in the national capacity, and *seven minutes* for statements on behalf of several delegations.

An advance unedited version of the list of participants has been distributed in the conference room and it can also be found on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site. Corrections are to be sent to Mr. Gerard Cianciulli via e-mail to cianciulli@un.org.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact Ms. Lidija Komatina (e-mail komatina@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2378; room S-3057). Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site (*click here*). For inquiries regarding access to QuickFirst, kindly contact Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org). An archived video of a 12-minute technical briefing on QuickFirst, presented by the Secretary of the Committee after the 2nd meeting of the sixty-eighth session, on 4 October 2013, is available by *clicking here*, from 41 minutes 10 seconds to 52 minutes 36 seconds.

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

15:00 to 18:00 — 12th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4

Questions relating to information (A/69/21 and A/69/310) [item 54]

General debate

[Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to send an e-mail to 4thcommittee@un.org. Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of *10 minutes* for statements by individual Member States and *15 minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

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Delegations are reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) should be submitted to Ms. Emer Herity, Secretary of the Committee (e-mail 4thcommittee@un.org; room S-3064; fax 1 (212) 963-5305). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers by *clicking here*. For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly send an e-mail to 4thcommittee@un.org. Representatives of Member States wishing to be included in the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) mailing list are requested to send an e-mail from an official permanent mission e-mail address to 4thcommittee@un.org, indicating name, delegation and e-mail address.]

Second Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — 18th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 2

Macroeconomic policy questions: International trade and development (A/69/15 (Part I), A/69/15 (Part II), A/69/15 (Part III), A/69/15 (Part IV) and A/69/179) [item 17 (a)]

Introductory statement followed by "question time"

General discussion

15:00 to 18:00 — 19th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 2

Eradication of poverty and other development issues (A/69/223) [item 23]

(a) Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017) (A/69/204)

(b) Industrial development cooperation (A/69/331)

(c) Women in development (A/69/156)

Continuation and conclusion of the general discussion

[The lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Second Committee *are open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the lists are kindly requested to contact, *in writing*, the Secretary of the Committee Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Mary Constable, e-mail constablem@un.org), indicating the full name and title of the speaker. Deadline for the inscription to the list of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items is *18:00* of the day before the consideration of the item. Pursuant to General Assembly decision 65/530 on improving the working methods of the Second Committee, delegations are reminded that the time limits of *five minutes* for individual Member States and *seven minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during debates on individual agenda items, should be observed. The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

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Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2* will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations wishing to reserve rooms for informal consultations on Second Committee matters are requested to contact, *as soon as possible but no later than 17:00* of the day before the meeting, Ms. Patricia Anholt Habr (e-mail habrp@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5724). Background information and documentation relating to the work of the Committee are available at the following website: www.un.org/en/ga/second/index.shtml. For inquiries regarding access to the Second Committee QuickPlace, please contact Ms. Maria Theresa Olvida (e-mail 2ndcommittee@un.org).]

Third Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — 23rd meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 1

Promotion and protection of human rights (A/69/383–S/2014/668) [item 68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms (A/69/277, A/69/121, A/69/97, A/69/214, A/69/99, A/69/336, A/69/333, A/69/287, A/69/293,

A/69/268, A/69/288, A/69/266, A/69/263, A/69/261, A/69/259, A/69/295, A/69/275, A/69/302, A/69/273, A/69/274, A/69/402, A/69/272, A/69/518[1], A/69/265, A/69/294, A/69/299, A/69/335, A/69/297, A/69/269, A/69/365, A/69/286, A/69/397, A/69/276 and A/69/366)

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives (A/69/362, A/69/306, A/69/301, A/69/398, A/69/356, A/69/307, A/C.3/69/2[1], A/C.3/69/3, A/C.3/69/4[1] A/C.3/69/5[1], the Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (to be issued), and the Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (to be issued))

Introductory statement by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, followed by question time

15:00 to 18:00 — 24th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 1

Promotion and protection of human rights (A/69/383–S/2014/668) [item 68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms (A/69/277, A/69/121, A/69/97, A/69/214, A/69/99, A/69/336, A/69/333, A/69/287, A/69/293, A/69/268, A/69/288, A/69/266, A/69/263, A/69/261, A/69/259, A/69/295, A/69/275, A/69/302, A/69/273, A/69/274, A/69/402, A/69/272, A/69/518[1], A/69/265, A/69/294, A/69/299, A/69/335, A/69/297, A/69/269, A/69/365, A/69/286, A/69/397, A/69/276 and A/69/366)

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Introductory statement by the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, followed by question time

Introductory statements, followed by interactive dialogues

Chair of the Committee on Enforced Disappearances

Chair of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances

Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions

Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation

[For background information on the work of the Third Committee, including the provisional programme of work for the sixty-ninth session, please *click here*.

The list of speakers for the general discussion on the remaining items of the Third Committee *is open*. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list should contact, *in writing*, Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org), with a copy to Ms. Isabel Alejandrino (e-mail alejandrino@un.org).

[1]To be issued.

In accordance with the established practice of the Committee, statements made during the general discussion under each agenda item or cluster of agenda items will be limited to *seven minutes* for individual delegations, and to *15 minutes* for statements made on behalf of a group of delegations. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

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For inquiries regarding registration for Third Committee QuickPlace, please contact Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4882).

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on draft proposals should be sent to Ms. Patricia Anholt Habr (e-mail habrp@un.org).]

Fifth Committee

10:00 to 11:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015: Construction and property management: United Nations Headquarters long-term accommodation needs (A/68/734 and A/68/798)	
11:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda item 144 (Administration of justice at the United Nations (A/69/227, A/69/205, A/69/126 and A/69/519))	

[Delegations are reminded that the closing date for nominations for appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments (item 113) is Friday, 24 October 2014.]

Sixth Committee

10:00	17th meeting [webcast]	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission (A/69/210) [item 75]	
Morning[1] to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Administration of justice at the United Nations [item 144]	
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 9
	Measures to eliminate international terrorism [item 107]	

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the plenary of the 17th meeting of the Committee.

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The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Sixth Committee *is open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat of the Sixth Committee (6thcommittee@un.org (tel. 1 (212) 963-5331); fax 1 (212) 963-1963)).

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers are invited to inform the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs, Secretariat of the Sixth Committee (e-mail 6thcommittee@un.org, room DC2-0569; fax 1 (212) 963-1963). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

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General Assembly

Preparatory Committee of the second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries
Second session (resumed)

10:00 — 3rd meeting [webcast] — Economic and Social Council Chamber

1. Preparations for the Conference (A/CONF.225/PC/7, A/CONF.225/PC/7/Add.1 and A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.3) [item 4]
2. Approval of the draft outcome document for submission to the Conference (A/CONF.225/PC/L.4) [item 5]
3. Other matters [item 6]
4. Adoption of the report of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Committee (A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.2) [item 7]
5. Closure of the second session of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Committee

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

09:00 to 13:00 — Closed meeting — Conference Room 10

1. Executive meeting
2. United Nations Institute for Training and Research
3. Executive meeting

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-sixth session

There will be a closed meeting of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 22 October 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe" (under agenda item 123 (i)) (convened by the delegation of Azerbaijan)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room E.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "International Day of Yoga" (under agenda item 124) (convened by the delegation of India)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room E.

First Committee

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.3, entitled "Prevention of an arms race in outer space" (under agenda item 94 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Egypt)

From 15:00 to 16:00, in Conference Room A.

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.6, entitled "Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference" (under agenda item 18) (convened by the delegation of Chad)

From 10:30 to 12:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.14, entitled "Entrepreneurship for development" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Israel)

From 13:30 to 15:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of sustainable tourism, including ecotourism, for poverty eradication and environment protection" (under agenda item 23) (convened by the delegation of Morocco)

From 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room B.

Third Committee

Informal informal consultations of the Non-Aligned Movement Members on the draft resolutions entitled "Human Rights and Unilateral Coercive Measures", "Enhancement of International Cooperation in the Field on Human Rights" and "The Right to Development" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Cuba on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM))

From 09:00 to 10:30, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Globalization and its impact on the full enjoyment of all human rights" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Egypt)

From 11:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.10, entitled "Realizing the Millennium Development Goals and other internationally agreed goals for persons with disabilities towards 2015 and beyond" (under agenda item 26 (b)) (convened by the delegations of the Philippines and the United Republic of Tanzania)

From 12:00 to 14:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.18, entitled "Preventing and combating corrupt practices and the transfer of proceeds of corruption, facilitating asset recovery and returning such assets to legitimate owners, in particular to countries of origin, in accordance with the United Nations Convention against Corruption" (under agenda item 105) (convened by the delegation of Colombia)

From 14:00 to 16:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.19, entitled "Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women" (under agenda item 27 (a)) (convened by the delegations of France and the Netherlands)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.24, entitled "Rights of the Child" (under agenda item 64 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Uruguay)

From 16:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Migrant children and adolescents" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegations of El Salvador, Guatemala and Honduras)

From 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula" (under agenda item 27 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Senegal)

From 18:00 to 20:00, in Conference Room B.

Other meetings

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JUSCANZ Group (Second Committee matters)

09:00 to 09:30 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Third Committee and related matters)

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5

African Group (Second Committee experts)

12:00 to 13:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room B

African Group (on Fifth Committee matters) (at the experts level)

13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Non-Aligned Movement (on peacekeeping)

13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8

Other activities

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Interactive dialogue on "Drug Policy Provisions from the International Drug Control Conventions: An Interactive Discussion in Preparation of the 2016 United Nations General Assembly Special Session (UNGASS) on the World Drug Problem" (organized by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

From 11:00 to 12:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Diana Karanja, UNODC (e-mail karanjam@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7227).]

Briefing for Member States on "The funding requirements for third International Conference on Financing for Development" (organized by the Financing for Development Office of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room E.

[All permanent missions are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Dominika Halka, Financing for Development Office, DESA (e-mail halka@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6653).]

Briefing on "Protecting civilians from the use of explosive weapons in populated areas" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Austria)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room A.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Caroline Wörgöter, Permanent Mission of Austria (e-mail caroline.woergoetter@bmeia.gv.at).]

Event on "Building blocks approach for a world without nuclear weapons" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Japan and the Netherlands, and the Global Security Institute (GSI))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Hideaki Hatanaka, Permanent Mission of Japan (e-mail hideaki.hatanaka@mofa.go.jp).]

Event on "The human rights to water and sanitation: tools for their realization and remedies for violations" (with the Special Rapporteur on the human right to safe drinking water and sanitation) (co-organized by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the Permanent Missions of Germany and Spain)

From 13:15 to 14:45, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Nenad Vasić, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail vasic@un.org).]

Event on "The Role of Forensic and Medical Sciences in the Investigation and Prevention of Torture and Other Ill-Treatment" (co-organized by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), the Permanent Missions of Denmark and Switzerland, the International Rehabilitation Council for Torture Victims (ICRT), Amnesty International and the American University Washington College of Law Center for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law's Anti-Torture Initiative)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Nenad Vasić, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail vasic@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "The Human Rights Situation in North Korea" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Australia, Botswana and Panama, the Jacob Blaustein Institute for the Advancement of Human Rights, Human Rights Watch, the United States Committee for Human Rights in North Korea, and the Citizens' Alliance for North Korean Human Rights)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Channelle Fitzgerald, Permanent Mission of Australia (e-mail channelle.fitzgerald@dfat.gov.au; tel. 1 (212) 351-6691).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Wednesday, 22 October 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Thursday, 23 October 2014, at 10:00, in the Security Council Chamber, in connection with Security Council working methods under the agenda item "Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council (S/2010/507)".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should send a letter addressed to the President of the Security Council requesting to participate in accordance with Rule 37 of the Council's Provisional Rules of Procedure (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; or fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Please note that only scanned copies of signed letters will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone or e-mail, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was adopted on 19 September 2014 and issued in document A/69/251 (see document A/69/252 for allocation of items).

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued in documents A/69/100 and A/69/100/Add.1.

The updated programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-ninth session was issued on 17 October 2014 in document A/INF/69/3/Rev.1.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Credential of representatives

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers, issued in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, and signed by the Head of State or Government or Minister of Foreign Affairs should be delivered to the Office of Legal Affairs (room S-3608) *by Friday, 24 October 2014*.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/69/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Thursday, 23 October 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 5.

General Assembly

2014 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities and 2014 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme

The 2014 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities and the 2014 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme will be held on Monday, 10 November 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to18:00 (*if necessary*) in Conference Room 2.

Delegations are requested to submit, *in writing*, the names of their representatives attending the Pledging Conferences to the Secretary of the Conference, Ms. Radhika Ochalik (c/o Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

The list of speakers for the Pledging Conferences is now open. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list are kindly requested to contact, in writing, the Secretary of the Conferences (c/o Ms. Catalina de Leon (by e-mail leonc@un.org; or by fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe" (under agenda item 123 (i)) (convened by the delegation of Azerbaijan)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8; and

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 6.

First Committee

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "No first placement of weapons in outer space" (under agenda item 94 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the Russian Federation)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room A.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee
(Fourth Committee)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Comprehensive review of special political missions" (under agenda item 53) (convened by the delegations of Finland and Mexico)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room A.

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Promoting fostering the efficiency, accountability, effectiveness and transparency of public administration by strengthening supreme audit institutions" (under agenda item 21) (convened by the delegation of Austria)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 09:00 to 10:30, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.10, entitled "Implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity and its contribution to sustainable development" (under item 19 (f)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 10:30 to 12:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Empowering countries through Evaluation" (under agenda item 24 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Fiji)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 15:00 to 16:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.9, entitled "Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind" (under agenda item 19 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Peru)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 16:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room B.

Third Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.14, entitled "Follow-up to the Second World Assembly on Ageing" (under agenda item 27 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Argentina on behalf of China and the Group of 77)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 09:30 to 11:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.21, entitled "Trafficking in women and girls" (under agenda item 27(a)) (convened by the delegation of the Philippines)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room C.

Meeting of co-sponsors on the draft resolution entitled "Missing persons" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Azerbaijan)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 13:30 to 15:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.20, entitled "Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula" (under agenda item 27(a)) (convened by the delegation of Senegal)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 14:30 to 16:30, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Combating bullying and other types of violence against children" (under agenda item 64) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room C.

Forthcoming other meetings

The information below is reproduced as received and does not imply any opinion or endorsement by the Secretariat of the United Nations. The meetings under this header are closed.

International Criminal Court: New York Working Group of the Assembly of States Parties (plan of action: universality)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3.

International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 16:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 8.

Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS) (ambassadorial level)

Monday, 27 October 2014, from 16:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 7.

Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS): The Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room E.

Eastern European Group (at the experts level)

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room E.

Forthcoming other activities

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Event on "Effective measures for nuclear disarmament" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Ireland and Mexico)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 9.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Robert Jackson, Permanent Mission of Ireland (e-mail robert.jackson@dfa.ie).]

Event on "iTrace Global Weapons Reporting System" (organized by the Delegation of the European Union, the Permanent Mission of Switzerland and the Conflict Armament Research (CAR))

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information please contact the Delegation of the European Union (e-mail delegation-new-york@eeas.europa.eu).]

Event on "The Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights Recommended Principles and Guidelines for Human Rights at International Borders" (with the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights) (organized by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR))

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Nenad Vasić, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail vasic@un.org).]

Event on "Women in Custody - Gender Equality Challenges and Opportunities in Crisis and Conflict Situations" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Thailand, and the Penal Reform International (PRI))

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Daisy Amornvivat, Permanent Mission of Thailand (e-mail daisy.thaimission@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 754-2230, ext. 133).]

Panel discussion on "Depleted Uranium Weapons: New Research from Laboratory and Battlefield" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Norway)

Thursday, 23 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Annemarta Strand Mugaas, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail annemarta.mugaas@mfa.no; tel. 1 (646) 430-7510).]

Seminar on "Protection of the environment during armed conflict" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden, the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), the Rutgers University and the International Union for Conservation of Nature World, Commission on Environmental Law)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 09:30 to 17:00, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Monica Clarke, Permanent Mission of Sweden (e-mail monica.clarke@gov.se; tel. 1 (212) 583-2514).]

Panel discussion on "Freedom of expression, children's rights and the Internet" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Morocco, Norway and Uruguay, in collaboration with Institute DEMOS)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Vilde Værøyvik, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail vilde.michelsen.vaeroyvik@mfa.no; tel. 1 (646) 430-7510); or Ms. Yessy Sagastume (e-mail libert.expresion@gmail.com).]

Panel discussion on "How to strengthen international peace and stability in cyberspace?" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of the Netherlands, in collaboration with the Permanent Missions of the Republic of Korea and the United Kingdom)

Friday 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Marieke Vreeken, Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (e-mail marieke.vreeken@minbuza.nl).]

Panel discussion on the "International Law Today: Perspectives and Challenges" (organized by the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO))

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[Delegates to the Sixth Committee are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Roy S. Lee, AALCO (e-mail royslee@optonline.net; tel. 1 (917) 623-2861).]

Briefing on "The United Nations Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction" (by the Co-Chair of the Preparatory Committee) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Finland and Thailand, in collaboration with the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR))

Monday, 27 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Ina Hidayat, UNISDR (e-mail hidayat@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9534).]

Briefing on the report of the Secretary-General on "Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel" (by the Under-Secretary-General for the United Nations Department of Safety and Security (UNDSS)) (organized by the Delegation of the European Union)

Monday, 27 October 2014, from 14:00 to 15:30, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Magali Le Lièvre, Delegation of the European Union (e-mail magali.le-lievre@eeas.europa.eu; tel. 1 (212) 292-8614).]

Dialogue with international law practitioners (with the President of the International Court of Justice and the International Criminal Court and a juriscounsult) (organized by the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO))

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 08:15 to 09:45, in Conference Room 6.

[Delegates to the Sixth Committee are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Roy S. Lee, AALCO (e-mail royslee@optonline.net; tel. 1 (917) 623-2861).]

Event on "Chemical, Biological, Radiological or Nuclear (CBRN) National Action Plans: Meeting the Challenges of International Security" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Georgia, in cooperation with the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI))

Wednesday, 29 October 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Giorgi Kvelashvili, Permanent Mission of Georgia (e-mail gkvelashvili@mfa.gov.ge; tel. 1 (212) 759-1949, ext. 208).]

Special event on "Responsibility of States: state of play and the way forward" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Czech Republic, Guatemala, Mexico, Portugal and South Africa)

Wednesday, 29 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Alexandra Corticada, Permanent Mission of Portugal (e-mail acorticada@missionofportugal.org); or Ms. Petra Benesova, Permanent Mission of Czech Republic (e-mail petra_benesova@mzv.cz).]

Panel discussion on "International Law and Asymmetric Warfare" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Israel)

Thursday, 30 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[Ali are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Michal Carmeli, Permanent Mission of Israel (e-mail Michalc@newyork.mfa.gov.il).]

Panel on Women, Peace and Security entitled "Boko Haram and Cycles of Violence: Strengthening Prevention Using the Women Peace and Security Agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein, in cooperation with the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination (LISD)/Princeton University and the Peace Women Project of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom)

Thursday, 30 October 2014, from 16:00 to 17:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Antonia Strachwitz, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail as@nyc.llv.li).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries
Vienna, 3–5 November 2014

The second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will be hosted by the Government of Austria and be held from Monday, 3 to Wednesday, 5 November 2014, in the Vienna International Centre at the United Nations Office at Vienna, Wagramerstrasse 5, 1220 Vienna, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/270.

An information note for participants has been issued as document A/CONF.225/INF/1. Inscription on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings (item 8 of the provisional agenda, "General exchange of views") of the Conference *is open.*

All delegations wishing to inscribe in the general exchange of views are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat, *in writing*, by e-mail (Ms. Antonina Poliakova (poliakova@un.org); or fax 1 (212) 963-3783) indicating the name and level of the speaker. The list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be established on a first-come first-served basis with the customary protocol that ensures that Heads of States or Government speak first, followed by other heads of delegation. It is proposed that a time limit of *ten minutes* be established for each statement.

Under agenda item 9 (Statements by intergovernmental and other organizations) of the provisional agenda, there will be statements by: (a) intergovernmental organizations and other entities that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the capacity of observer in the sessions and work of all international conferences convened under its auspices; (b) associate members of regional commissions; (c) specialized agencies and related organizations; (d) other intergovernmental organizations; and (e) interested United Nations organs. Representatives of these organizations and entities may also contact the secretariat to be inscribed in the list of speakers. It is proposed that a time limit of *eight minutes* be established for each statement.

The Conference secretariat will publish a list of participants in the Conference. Delegations are requested to submit a comprehensive list of their respective delegations to the Conference, with functional titles and designations of all delegates to Ms. Anne Kwak (e-mail kwaks@un.org, with copy to banaszek@un.org) before 24 October 2014.

Credential of representatives

Permanent Missions are reminded that in accordance with rule 3 of the draft provisional rules of procedure of the second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries, the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers shall be submitted to the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States, who is also the Secretary-General of the Conference. The credentials shall be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister of Foreign Affairs or, in the case of the European Union, by the President of the European Commission. Permanent Missions are requested to submit their credentials to the Office of the High Representative located on the 32nd floor of the Secretariat Building (S-3245).

Economic and Social Council

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters
Tenth session
United Nations Office at Geneva (27-31 October 2014)

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2014/220 of 13 June 2014, the tenth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters will be held from Monday, 27, to Friday, 31 October 2014, at the United Nations Office at Geneva. Background materials, including the provisional agenda and organization of work, as well as details for registration, are available on the Financing for Development Website (*click here*). For further information, please contact the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail lennard@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734).

Announcements

Press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly

The press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is now available online in all six official languages. Produced by the Department of Public Information (DPI), in cooperation with the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM), the kit is paper-free. Print-on-demand versions are available on the General Assembly website (*click here*), or via the PaperSmart portal (*click here*).

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of October:

Finding Mandates (English)

Finding Speeches (English)

General Assembly Documentation (English and French)

Introduction to Library Services (English)

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources (English)

Introduction to United Nations Budget documents (French)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English)

Overview of the Law Library (English)

Security Council Documentation (English)

Treaty Research (English)

Voting Information (English)

World Bank eLibrary Demo (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa: Deadline for applications – 24 October 2014

Applications for the 2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa are now being accepted. *The deadline for applications is Friday, 24 October 2014*. The Regional Course for Africa is scheduled to be held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 2 to 27 February 2015. This course is open for candidates from Member States of the United Nations, which are also members of the regional group of African States. The Regional Course will be conducted in English in 2015. The organization of the Regional Course is subject to funding.

For further information, including application forms, please consult the website of the Regional Courses at http://www.un.org/law/rcil; or contact the Codification Division at rcil-africa@un.org.

2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from 22 June to 31 July 2015, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Monday, 1 December 2014*.

The Fellowship Programme will be conducted in English this year. For further information, including application forms, please consult the International Law Fellowship Programme website at www.un.org/law/ilfp; or contact the Codification Division at ilfp@un.org.

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

For paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement, please contact Mr. Louis Giordano, Distribution Section (tel. 1 (212) 963-7288).

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Urgent Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by almost one million users in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the four Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland, Mexico and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 21 October 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7280th meeting

The situation in the Central African Republic

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2014/745, submitted by France.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2014/745) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2014/745) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2181 (2014).

7281th meeting

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Algeria, Bahrain, Belize, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Brazil, Cuba, Egypt, Guatemala, Iceland, India, Indonesia, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Israel, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, the Maldives, Morocco, Namibia, Nicaragua, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, the Philippines, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Sri Lanka, the Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine and Zimbabwe, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine to the United Nations to participate in the meeting in accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the Council's previous practice.

The President invited His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations and His Excellency Fodé Seck, Chair of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of the Holy See to the United Nations to participate in the meeting in accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the Council's previous practice.

The Security Council began its consideration of the item.

The Council heard a briefing by the Secretary-General, His Excellency Ban Ki-moon.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Israel.

Statements were made by the United States, the United Kingdom, Jordan, the Russian Federation, Australia, the Republic of Korea, France, Luxembourg, Chad, Chile, Rwanda, China, Nigeria and Lithuania, and by the President, speaking in her capacity as the representative of Argentina.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Lebanon, Egypt, Algeria, Guatemala, the Syrian Arab Republic, Brazil, the Islamic Republic of Iran (speaking on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement) and Malaysia.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting (speaking on behalf of the European Union. The Candidate countries The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania, the country of the Stabilisation and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine and the Republic of Moldova, aligned themselves with the statement).

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Morocco, Norway, Qatar, Turkey and Kuwait.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Fodé Seck.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Belize, Tunisia, Zimbabwe and Indonesia.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of the Holy See.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan, Namibia, Japan, Nicaragua, Saudi Arabia (speaking on behalf of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation), Cuba, Iceland, Sri Lanka, Kazakhstan, Peru, South Africa, Bahrain, the Maldives, Ukraine, the Philippines and India.

The representative of Israel and the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine made further statements.

General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

[archived video]

29th plenary meeting

Election of fifteen members of the Human Rights Council [item 112 (c)]

On the first round of balloting, having obtained the required majority and the largest number of votes, Albania (176 votes), Bangladesh (149 votes), Bolivia (Plurinational State of) (144 votes), Botswana (183 votes), Congo (185 votes), El Salvador (151 votes), Ghana (187 votes), India (162 votes), Indonesia (152 votes), Latvia (175 votes), the Netherlands (172 votes), Nigeria (187 votes), Paraguay (139 votes), Portugal (184 votes) and Qatar (142 votes) were elected as members of the Human Rights Council for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2015.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 112.

Main Committees

First Committee

[archived video]

13th meeting

The Chair made a statement.

Thematic discussion

The Committee continued the second phase of its work, namely thematic discussion on specific subjects and the introduction and consideration of draft resolutions and decisions submitted on all disarmament and related international security agenda items (89 to 107).

Statements were made by the representatives of Ireland (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.21, entitled "Taking forward multilateral nuclear disarmament negotiations"), Egypt (on behalf of the Group of Arab States, who introduced draft resolutions A/C.1/69/L.1 and A/C.1/69/L.2, entitled "Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East" and "The risk of nuclear proliferation in the Middle East", respectively), Turkey, Ecuador, Australia, Peru (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.25, entitled "The Hague Code of Conduct against Ballistic Missile Proliferation") and the Russian Federation.

The Chair made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Republic of Korea, Finland, Spain, Algeria, Bahrain, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Slovenia, Syrian Arab Republic, Morocco, the United Republic of Tanzania, Palau and Israel.

The representatives of the Russian Federation, the Republic of Korea, Japan and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea made statements in exercise of the right of reply.

The Committee thus concluded its thematic discussion on nuclear weapons.

The Committee began its thematic discussion on conventional weapons.

Statements were made by the representatives of Indonesia (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Mali (on behalf of the Economic Community of West African States, who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.4, entitled "Assistance to States for curbing the illicit traffic in small arms and light weapons and collecting them"), Guyana (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Suriname (on behalf of the Union of South American Nations) and the European Union.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

[archived video]

11th meeting

Address by the President of the General Assembly

The Committee heard an address by the President of the General Assembly.

Questions relating to information [item 54]

The Rapporteur of the Committee on Information introduced the report of the Committee, contained in document A/69/21.

The Acting Head of the Department of Public Information introduced the Report of the Secretary-General on Questions relating to Information, contained in document A/69/310.

In the ensuing interactive dialogue, questions were posed by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Argentina, Lebanon, Guatemala and Iraq, to which the Acting Head of the Department of Public Information responded.

General debate

The Committee began its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Thailand (on behalf of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations), Costa Rica (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States), Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Argentina (on behalf of the Group of Friends of Spanish in the United Nations), the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia), Cuba, Mexico, Brazil, Syrian Arab Republic and Israel.

The Committee decided to close the list of speakers under item 54, at 13:00 on Wednesday, 22 October.

Second Committee

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16th meeting

Macroeconomic policy questions: International financial system and development [item 17 (b)]

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference [item 18]

The Vice-Chair (Morocco) made a statement.

The Committee began its joint consideration of items 17 (b) and 18 and heard an introductory statement by the Director, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

The Committee then began its general discussion of the items and heard statements by the representatives of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Saint Lucia (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Costa Rica (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States), Indonesia (on behalf of the Association of South East Asian Nations), Malawi (on behalf of the African Group), Egypt (on behalf of the Arab Group), Brazil, Norway, Peru, the United States, Belarus, Japan, the Sudan, India, Benin (on behalf of the Least Developed Countries), the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Zimbabwe, Trinidad and Tobago, Ethiopia, Switzerland and Senegal.

Organization of work

The Vice-Chair (Morocco) made a statement.

17th meeting

Macroeconomic policy questions: International financial system and development [item 17 (b)]

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference [item 18]

The Committee continued its general discussion of the items and heard statements by the representatives of China, the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania; and the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova, Armenia and Georgia), Nepal, the Russian Federation, Thailand, Singapore, Mexico, Morocco, Australia, the United Republic of Tanzania, Bangladesh, Algeria, the Congo, New Zealand, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Solomon Islands and Ecuador.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of agenda items 17 (b) and 18.

Organization of work

The Chair (Italy) made a statement.

Third Committee

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21st meeting

Promotion and protection of human rights [item 68]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments

(d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action

The Committee began its consideration of the sub-items and heard an introductory statement by the Assistant Secretary-General and Head of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in New York.

The Chair of the Committee against Torture made an introductory statement and responded to questions and comments made by the representatives of Switzerland, the United Kingdom, Chile and the European Union.

The Chair of the Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture also made an introductory statement and responded to questions and comments made by the representatives Switzerland, the Czech Republic, the United Kingdom, Azerbaijan and the European Union.

The Special Rapporteur on torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment made an introductory statement and responded to questions and comments made by the representatives of the United States, Switzerland, Denmark, Norway, Brazil, Bahrain, Argentina, the United Kingdom, the Maldives, Morocco and the European Union.

General discussion

The Committee then began its general discussion and heard a statement by the observer of the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Iceland, Serbia and Albania; the country of Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia).

Organization of work

The Chair (Timor-Leste) made a statement.

22nd meeting

Promotion and protection of human rights [item 68]

(a) Implementation of human rights instruments

(d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-items and heard an introductory statement by the Rapporteur of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (on behalf of the Chair of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights), who responded to questions and comments made by the representatives of Switzerland, Belarus, Argentina (also on behalf of Belgium, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Ecuador, Finland, Portugal, Spain, and Uruguay), Costa Rica, South Africa, Chile, Cuba and the European Union.

The Chair of the Human Rights Committee made an introductory statement and responded to questions and comments made by the representatives of the Belarus, Switzerland, Norway and the European Union.

General discussion

The Committee continued its general discussion of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Italy, India, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Japan, Nicaragua, the Islamic Republic of Iran, China, Kazakhstan, New Zealand, Yemen, Burkina Faso, Rwanda, Mongolia, Indonesia, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, and Armenia.

A statement was made by the representative of the International Labour Organization.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 68 sub-items (a) and (d).

Organization of work

The Chair (Timor-Leste) made a statement.

Sixth Committee

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15th meeting

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [item 79]

The Committee continued its consideration of agenda item 79.

Statements were made by the representatives of Bahrain, Belarus, the United States, China, Algeria, El Salvador, the Syrian Arab Republic and Sierra Leone.

The observer of the State of Palestine made a statement.

Statements were also made by the observers of International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) and of the International Humanitarian Fact-Finding Commission (IHFFC).

The representatives of Israel and the Syrian Arab Republic made statements in the exercise of the right of reply.

The Committee concluded its debate on agenda item 79.

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [item 80]

The Committee commenced its consideration of agenda item 80.

Statements were made by the representatives of Costa Rica (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States (CELAC)), the European Union (also on behalf of its Member States. The candidate countries Turkey, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania, the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate country Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova, Armenia and Georgia aligned themselves with the statement), Finland (on behalf of the Nordic countries), the Russian Federation, Brazil, Cuba, Ethiopia, Israel, Eritrea, the United States, India, China, Turkey, Algeria, El Salvador and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Committee concluded its debate on agenda item 80.

16th meeting

Administration of justice at the United Nations [item 144]

The Committee commenced its debate on agenda item 144.

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada (also on behalf of Australia and New Zealand (CANZ)), Costa Rica (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States (CELAC)), the European Union (also on behalf of its Member States. The candidate countries Turkey, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania, the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate country Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova, Armenia and Georgia aligned themselves with the statement), Guatemala, the Russia Federation, Switzerland, Tonga and the United States.

The Committee concluded its debate on agenda item 144.

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General Assembly
Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries

The second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will take place in Vienna, Austria from Monday, 3 to Wednesday, 5 November 2014. The list of speakers *is open for inscriptions*. Delegations are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat, *in writing*, by e-mail (Ms. Antonina Poliakova (poliakova@un.org)). For additional information, please see page 21 and 22.

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General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

Main Committees

First Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — 15th meeting [webcast] — Economic and Social Council Chamber

Thematic discussion on item subjects and introduction and consideration of all draft resolutions and decisions submitted under agenda items (items 87 to 104)

Conventional weapons cluster (continued)

Other weapons of mass destruction

[Documents of the Committee: *item 87* (A/69/135 and A/69/135/Add.1); *item 88*; *item 89* (A/C.1/69/L.7); *item 90* (A/C.1/69/L.62); *item 91* (A/69/112, A/69/112/Add.1 and A/C.1/69/L.26); *item 92* (A/69/130 (Part I), A/69/130 (Part I)/Add.1 and A/C.1/69/L.1); *item 93* (A/C.1/69/L.27); *item 94* (A/C.1/69/L.3 and A/C.1/69/L.14); *item 95* (A/C.1/69/L.13); *item 96* (A/69/113, A/69/113/Add.1, A/69/114, A/69/114/Add.1, A/69/115, A/69/116, A/69/118, A/69/118/Add.1, A/69/123, A/69/124, A/69/124/Add.1, A/69/131, A/69/131/Add.1, A/69/132, A/69/138, A/69/138/Add.1, A/69/139, A/69/140, A/69/151, A/69/152, A/69/154, A/69/154/Add.1, A/69/172, A/69/172/Add.1, A/69/173, A/69/173/Add.1, A/C.1/69/2, A/C.1/69/L.4, A/C.1/69/L.5, A/C.1/69/L.10, A/C.1/69/L.11, A/C.1/69/L.12, A/C.1/69/L.17, A/C.1/69/L.18, A/C.1/69/L.20, A/C.1/69/L.21, A/C.1/69/L.22, A/C.1/69/L.23, A/C.1/69/L.24, A/C.1/69/L.25, A/C.1/69/L.28, A/C.1/69/L.29, A/C.1/69/L.30, A/C.1/69/L.31, A/C.1/69/L.32, A/C.1/69/L.34, A/C.1/69/L.35, A/C.1/69/L.36, A/C.1/69/L.37, A/C.1/69/L.38, A/C.1/69/L.39, A/C.1/69/L.41, A/C.1/69/L.42, A/C.1/69/L.43, A/C.1/69/L.44, A/C.1/69/L.45, A/C.1/69/L.46 and A/C.1/69/L.47); *item 97* (A/69/127, A/69/133, A/69/134, A/69/136, A/69/168, A/C.1/69/L.9, A/C.1/69/L.16 and A/C.1/69/L.40); *item 98* (A/69/27, A/69/42, A/69/176, A/69/208, A/69/361 and A/C.1/69/L.8); *item 99* (A/69/130 (Part II) and A/C.1/69/L.2); *item 100* (A/C.1/69/L.33); *item 101* (A/69/169); *item 102* (A/69/137); *item 103* (A/C.1/69/L.6); and *item 104* (A/C.1/69/L.19)

Other documents: A/C.1/69/1, A/C.1/69/CRP.1, A/C.1/69/CRP.2/Rev.1, A/C.1/69/CRP.3, A/C.1/69/INF/1 and A/C.1/69/INF/4]

[The list of speakers for thematic discussion is now closed. Delegations are reminded that the time limit for statements during the thematic discussions is *five minutes* when speaking in the national capacity, and *seven minutes* for statements on behalf of several delegations.

An advance unedited version of the list of participants has been distributed in the conference room and it can also be found on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site. Corrections are to be sent to Mr. Gerard Cianciulli via e-mail to cianciulli@un.org.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact Ms. Lidija Komatina (e-mail komatina@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2378; room S-3057). Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site (*click here*). For inquiries regarding access to QuickFirst, kindly contact Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org). An archived video of a 12-minute technical briefing on QuickFirst, presented by the Secretary of the Committee after the 2nd meeting of the sixty-eighth session, on 4 October 2013, is available by *clicking here*, from 41 minutes 10 seconds to 52 minutes 36 seconds.

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

15:00 to 18:00 — 13th meeting [webcast] — Economic and Social Council Chamber

1. **Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [item 59]**

   Action on draft resolution entitled "Question of Gibraltar" (A/C.4/69/L.5)

2. **International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space [item 49]**

   Action on draft resolution A/C.4/69/L.2/Rev.1

3. **Questions relating to information (A/69/21 and A/69/310) [item 54]**

   Continuation of the general debate

[Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers are kindly requested to send an e-mail to 4thcommittee@un.org. Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of *10 minutes* for statements by individual Member States and *15 minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

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Delegations are reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) should be submitted to Ms. Emer Herity, Secretary of the Committee (e-mail 4thcommittee@un.org; room S-3064; fax 1 (212) 963-5305). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

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Second Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — 20th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 2

1. **Eradication of poverty and other development issues (A/69/223) [item 23]**

   (a) **Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017) (A/69/204)**

   (b) **Industrial development cooperation (A/69/331)**

   (c) **Women in development (A/69/156)**

   Continuation and conclusion of the general discussion

2. **Groups of countries in special situations [item 22]**

   (a) **Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries (A/69/270 and A/69/95-E/2014/81)**

   (b) **Follow up to the second United Nations conference on landlocked developing countries (A/69/170)**

   Introductory statement, followed by "question time"

   General discussion

15:00 to 18:00 **21st meeting** [webcast] **Conference Room 2**

Groups of countries in special situations [item 22]

(a) **Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries (A/69/270 and A/69/95-E/2014/81)**

(b) **Follow-up to the second United Nations conference on landlocked developing countries (A/69/170)**

Continuation and conclusion of the general discussion

[The lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Second Committee *are open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the lists are kindly requested to contact, *in writing*, the Secretary of the Committee Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Mary Constable, e-mail constablem@un.org), indicating the full name and title of the speaker. Deadline for the inscription to the list of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items is *18:00* of the day before the consideration of the item.

Pursuant to General Assembly decision 55/530 on improving the working methods of the Second Committee, delegations are reminded that the time limits of *five minutes* for individual Member States and *seven minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during debates on individual agenda items, should be observed. The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

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Third Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — 25th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 1

Promotion and protection of human rights (A/69/383–S/2014/668) [item 68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms (A/69/277, A/69/121, A/69/97, A/69/214, A/69/99, A/69/336, A/69/333, A/69/287, A/69/293, A/69/268, A/69/288, A/69/266, A/69/263, A/69/261, A/69/259, A/69/295, A/69/275, A/69/302, A/69/273, A/69/274, A/69/402, A/69/272, A/69/518[1], A/69/265, A/69/294, A/69/299, A/69/335, A/69/297, A/69/269, A/69/365, A/69/286, A/69/397, A/69/276 and A/69/366)

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives (A/69/362, A/69/306, A/69/301, A/69/398, A/69/356, A/69/307, A/C.3/69/2[1], A/C.3/69/3, A/C.3/69/4[1], A/C.3/69/5[1], the Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (to be issued), and the Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (to be issued))

Introductory statements, followed by interactive dialogues

Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights defenders

Special Rapporteur on the independence of judges and lawyers

Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism

Special Rapporteur on the promotion of truth, justice, reparation and guarantees of non-recurrence

15:00 to 18:00 — 26th meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 1

1. Advancement of Women [item 27]

(a) Advancement of Women

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.3/69/L.19, A/C.3/69/L.20, A/C.3/69/L.21 and A/C.3/69/L.22

2. Promotion and protection of the rights of children [item 64]

(a) Promotion and protection of the rights of children

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.23

3. Crime prevention and criminal justice [item 105]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.16

4. International drug control [item 106]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.15

5. Social development [item 26]

(d) Literacy for life: shaping future agendas

[1]To be issued.

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.9/Rev.1

6. **Crime prevention and criminal justice [item 105]**

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.6 and A/C.3/69/L.17/Rev.1

7. **Promotion and protection of human rights (A/69/383–S/2014/668) [item 68]**

(b) **Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms (A/69/277, A/69/121, A/69/97, A/69/214, A/69/99, A/69/336, A/69/333, A/69/287, A/69/293, A/69/268, A/69/288, A/69/266, A/69/263, A/69/261, A/69/259, A/69/295, A/69/275, A/69/302, A/69/273, A/69/274, A/69/402, A/69/272, A/69/518[1], A/69/265, A/69/294, A/69/299, A/69/335, A/69/297, A/69/269, A/69/365, A/69/286, A/69/397, A/69/276 and A/69/366)**

(c) **Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives (A/69/362, A/69/306, A/69/301, A/69/398, A/69/356, A/69/307, A/C.3/69/2[1], A/C.3/69/3, A/C.3/69/4[1], A/C.3/69/5[1], the Report of the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (to be issued), and the Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Special Rapporteur on the situation of human rights in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (to be issued))**

Introductory statements, followed by interactive dialogues

Chair of the Working Group on the Right to Development

Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of the right to freedom of opinion and expression

Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief

[For background information on the work of the Third Committee, including the provisional programme of work for the sixty-ninth session, please *click here*.

The list of speakers for the general discussion on the remaining items of the Third Committee *is open*. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list should contact, *in writing*, Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org), with a copy to Ms. Isabel Alejandrino (e-mail alejandrino@un.org).

In accordance with the established practice of the Committee, statements made during the general discussion under each agenda item or cluster of agenda items will be limited to *seven minutes* for individual delegations, and to *15 minutes* for statements made on behalf of a group of delegations. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

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Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Moncef Khane (c/o Mr. Jose Tanoy (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room S-1291; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

For inquiries regarding registration for Third Committee QuickPlace, please contact Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4882).

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on draft proposals should be sent to Ms. Patricia Anholt Habr (e-mail habrp@un.org).]

[1]To be issued.

Fifth Committee

10:00 to 13:00 — **Informal consultations (closed)** — **Conference Room 5**

Agenda item 135 (Pattern of Conferences (A/69/32, A/69/120, A/69/120/Corr.1 and A/69/527))

Agenda item 132 (Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015:

United Nations Partnerships Facility (A/68/6 (Sect.1) (Chapt. J) and A/68/7* (Chapt. II, paras. I.56 to I.95))

United Nations Office for Partnerships (A/69/218, A/68/186, A/67/165 and A/67/165/Corr.1))

15:00 to 18:00 — **Informal consultations (closed)** — **Conference Room 5**

Agenda item 130 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors (A/69/5 (Vol. I), A/69/5 (Vol. I)/Corr.1, A/69/5 (Vol. III), A/69/5 (Vol. IV), A/69/5/Add.1, A/69/5/Add.1/Corr.1, A/69/5/Add.2, A/69/5/Add.3, A/69/5/Add.4, A/69/5/Add.5, A/69/5/Add.6, A/69/5/Add.7, A/69/5/Add.8, A/69/5/Add.9, A/69/5/Add.9/Corr.1, A/69/5/Add.10, A/69/5/Add.11, A/69/5/Add.11/Corr.1, A/69/5/Add.12, A/69/5/Add.13, A/69/5/Add.14, A/69/5/Add.15; A/69/178, A/69/178/Corr.1, A/69/178/Corr.2, A/69/178/Corr.3, A/69/178/Corr.4, A/69/178/Corr.5, A/69/178/Corr.6, A/69/353, A/69/353/Add.1 and A/69/386); Joint Inspection Unit on Implementing Partners (A/69/378 and A/69/378/Add.1)); and

Agenda item 136 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (A/69/11, A/69/11/Add.1 and A/69/70))

[Delegations are reminded that the closing date for nominations for appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments (item 113) is Friday, 24 October 2014.]

Sixth Committee

Plenary

10:00 — **18th meeting** [webcast] — **Trusteeship Council Chamber**

Effects of armed conflicts on treaties [item 84]

Responsibility of international organizations [item 85]

Observer status for the Developing Eight Countries Organization for Economic Cooperation in the General Assembly [item 171]

Action on draft resolution A/C.6/69/L.2

Observer status for the Pacific Community in the General Assembly [item 172]

Action on draft resolution A/C.6/69/L.3

Morning[1] to 13:00 — **Informal consultations (closed)** — **Trusteeship Council Chamber**

Administration of justice at the United Nations [item 144]

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the plenary of the 18th meeting of the Committee.

Working Group

15:00 to 16:30	Closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction [item 83]	
16:30 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Administration of justice at the United Nations [item 144]	

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General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

15:00 to 18:00	288th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-sixth session

There will be a closed meeting of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today,* 23 October 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

Thursday, 23 October 2014

First Committee

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "No first placement of weapons in outer space" (under agenda item 94 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the Russian Federation)

From 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room A.

Informal meeting of co-sponsors on the draft resolution entitled "Women, disarmament, non-proliferation and arms control" (under agenda item 96 (r)) (convened by the delegation of Trinidad and Tobago)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 9.

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.26, entitled "Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security" (under agenda item 91) (convened by the delegations of China and the Russian Federation)

From 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room A.

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.10, entitled "Implementation of the Convention on Biological Diversity and its contribution to sustainable development" (under item 19 (f)) (convened by the delegation of Suriname)

From 10:30 to 12:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.9, entitled "Protection of global climate for present and future generations of humankind" (under agenda item 19 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Peru)

From 16:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room B.

Third Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.14, entitled "Follow-up to the Second World Assembly on Ageing" (under agenda item 27 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Argentina (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China))

From 09:30 to 11:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.21, entitled "Trafficking in women and girls" (under agenda item 27 (a)) (convened by the delegation of the Philippines)

From 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room C.

Meeting of co-sponsors on the draft resolution entitled "Missing persons" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Azerbaijan)

From 13:30 to 15:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.20, entitled "Supporting efforts to end obstetric fistula" (under agenda item 27(a)) (convened by the delegation of Senegal)

From 14:30 to 16:30, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.25, entitled "Combating bullying and other types of violence against children" (under agenda item 64) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

From 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room C.

Other meetings

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Thursday, 23 October 2014

Arab Group (First Committee experts)

09:00 to 09:45	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8

Group of 77 (on Oceans and the Law of the Sea)

09:00 to 10:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

12:30 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
13:15 to 15:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Third Committee and related matters)

16:30 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room E

OIC Group (at the ambassadorial level)

16:30 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

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Other activities

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Thursday, 23 October 2014

Briefing on "The role of the OIC Human Rights Commission and it's Programme of Work for 2014-2015" (organized by the Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC))

From 12:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Amierah Ismail, OIC (e-mail aismail@oicun.org; tel. 1 (845) 401-9362).]

Event on "Effective measures for nuclear disarmament" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Ireland and Mexico)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 9.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Robert Jackson, Permanent Mission of Ireland (e-mail robert.jackson@dfa.ie).]

Event on "iTrace Global Weapons Reporting System" (organized by the Delegation of the European Union, the Permanent Mission of Switzerland and the Conflict Armament Research (CAR))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information please contact the Delegation of the European Union (e-mail delegation-new-york@eeas.europa.eu).]

Event on "The Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights Recommended Principles and Guidelines for Human Rights at International Borders" (with the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights) (organized by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Nenad Vasić, OHCHR New York Office (e-mail vasic@un.org).]

Event on "Women in Custody - Gender Equality Challenges and Opportunities in Crisis and Conflict Situations" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Thailand, and the Penal Reform International (PRI))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Daisy Amornvivat, Permanent Mission of Thailand (e-mail daisy.thaimission@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 754-2230, ext. 133).]

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 22 October 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7282th meeting — *Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan*

Report of the Secretary-General on South Sudan (S/2014/708*)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of South Sudan to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Ms. Ellen Løj, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Mission in the Republic of South Sudan, and Ms. Zainab Hawa Bangura, Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Ms. Løj, and by Ms. Bangura, who participated via video tele-conference from Geneva.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of South Sudan.

7283rd meeting — *Consideration of the draft report of the Security Council to the General Assembly*

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item.

A statement was made by the representative of Rwanda.

The Council adopted its report to the General Assembly without a vote.

The President stated that the decision of the Council would be reflected in a note by the President of the Council, to be issued as document S/2014/750.

7284th meeting — *The situation in Somalia*

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation with respect to piracy and armed robbery at sea off the coast of Somalia (S/2014/740)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Somalia to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Mr. Jeffrey Feltman, Under Secretary-General for Political Affairs, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Feltman.

Panel discussion on "Depleted Uranium Weapons: New Research from Laboratory and Battlefield" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Norway)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Annemarta Strand Mugaas, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail annemarta.mugaas@mfa.no; tel. 1 (646) 430-7510).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Thursday, 23 October 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

11:15	Press conference by Mr. Ariel Dulitzky, Chair of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances, and Mr. Emmanuel Decaux, Chair of the Committee on Enforced Disappearances
12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest*: Mr. Gyan Chandra Acharya, Under-Secretary-General and High Representative for the Least Developed Countries Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS)]
13:15	Press conference by Mr. Ben Emmerson, Special Rapporteur on the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms while countering terrorism
14:00	Press conference by the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), WHO, and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation on the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (World Polio Day (24 October)) [*Speakers*: Mr. Peter Crowley, Principal Adviser, Health, and Polio Team Leader, UNICEF (New York); Mr. Hamid Jafari, Director – Polio Eradication, World Health Organization (Geneva); and Mr. Jay Wenger, Director – Polio Eradication, Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation (Seattle)]
15:00	Press conference by Mr. Christof Heyns, Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Tuesday, 28 October 2014, at 10:00, in the Security Council Chamber, on "Displaced women and girls: leaders and survivors", in connection with the agenda item "Women and peace and security".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should send a letter addressed to the President of the Security Council requesting to participate in accordance with Rule 37 of the Council's Provisional Rules of Procedure (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; or fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Please note that only scanned copies of signed letters will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone or e-mail, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was adopted on 19 September 2014 and issued in document A/69/251 (see document A/69/252 for allocation of items).

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued in documents A/69/100 and A/69/100/Add.1.

The updated programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-ninth session was issued on 17 October 2014 in document A/INF/69/3/Rev.1.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Credential of representatives

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers, issued in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, and signed by the Head of State or Government or Minister of Foreign Affairs should be delivered to the Office of Legal Affairs (room S-3608) *by Friday, 24 October 2014*.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/69/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Main Committees

Second Committee

Special event on "Investment promotion regime for foreign direct investment in Least Developed Countries (LDCs)"

The Second Committee will hold a panel discussion on "Investment promotion regime for foreign direct investment in LDCs" on Friday, 24 October 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 2, organized by the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS). The panel discussion will be chaired by His Excellency Sebastiano Cardi, Chair of the Second Committee and Permanent Representative of Italy to the United Nations. Presentations will be made by Mr. Gyan Chandra Acharya, Under Secretary-General and High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS) (key note speech); His Excellency Jean Francis Zinsou, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Benin and the Chair of the Group of Least Developed Countries; and Her Excellency Bénédicte Frankinet, Permanent Representative of Belgium. Concluding remarks will be provided by Mr. Karl Sauvant, Resident Senior Fellow, Columbia Law School, Columbia University.

For further information, please contact the organizer of the event Mr. Abdul Alim (tel. 1 (212) 963-0814; e-mail alim1@un.org).

The detailed programme of the informal meeting is available by *clicking here*. All are invited to attend.

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Friday, 24 October 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 5.

General Assembly

2014 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities and 2014 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme

The 2014 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities and the 2014 United Nations/Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme will be held on Monday, 10 November 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to18:00 (*if necessary*) in Conference Room 2.

Delegations are requested to submit, *in writing*, the names of their representatives attending the Pledging Conferences to the Secretary of the Conference, Ms. Radhika Ochalik (c/o Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

The list of speakers for the Pledging Conferences is now open. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list are kindly requested to contact, in writing, the Secretary of the Conferences (c/o Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org; or by fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 69 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8; and

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 6.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Central European Initiative" (under agenda item 123 (f)) (convened by the delegation of Austria)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 11:45 to 13:00, in Conference Room 7.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe" (under agenda item 123 (i)) (convened by the delegation of Azerbaijan)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

Meeting on the draft resolution entitled "Report of the International Atomic Energy Agency" (under agenda item 86) (convened by the delegation of Slovakia)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 9.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Comprehensive review of special political missions" (under agenda item 53) (convened by the delegations of Finland and Mexico)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room A;

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room A; and

Friday, 31 October 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room A.

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.4, entitled "Modalities for the intergovernmental negotiations and the adoption of a multilateral legal framework for sovereign debt restructuring processes" (under agenda item 17 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Algeria)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room S-2729BR.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.13, entitled "World Youth Skills Day" (under agenda item 26 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Sri Lanka)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 10:00 to 11:30, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Empowering countries through evaluation: Evaluation as a country level tool for development results" (under agenda item 24 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Fiji)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:00 to 14:00, at the Permanent Mission of Fiji (801 Second Av. (10th Floor)).

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.14, entitled "Entrepreneurship for development" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Israel)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:00 to 14:30, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Role of Transport and Transit Corridors in Ensuring International Cooperation, Stability and Sustainable Development" (under agenda item 19) (convened by the delegation of Turkmenistan)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 14:30 to 16:00, in Conference Room B.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.6, entitled "Follow-up to the International Conference on Financing for Development" (under agenda item 18) (convened by the delegation of Chad)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in DC2 23rd floor.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.5, entitled "Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)" (under agenda item 23 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Ireland)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 15:00 to 16:30, in Conference Room 2.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of sustainable tourism, including ecotourism, for poverty eradication and environment protection" (under agenda item 23) (convened by the delegation of Morocco)

Friday 24 October 2014, from 16:00 to 17:30, in Conference Room B.

Third Committee

Informal informal consultations of the Non-Aligned Movement Members on the draft resolutions entitled "Human Rights and Unilateral Coercive Measures", "Enhancement of International Cooperation in the Field on Human Rights" and "The Right to Development" (under agenda item 68 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Cuba (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM)))

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 09:00 to 10:30, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Rights of the Child" (under agenda item 64 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Uruguay)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 12:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Chamber.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.16, entitled "Strengthening the United Nations crime prevention and criminal justice programme, in particular its technical cooperation capacity" (under agenda item 105) (convened by the delegation of Italy)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 12:00 to 15:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Moratorium on the use of the death penalty" (under agenda item 69 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Chile)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 8.

Meeting of co-sponsors on the draft resolution entitled "The International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination" (under agenda item 66 (a)) (convened by the delegations of Belgium and Slovenia)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.19, entitled "Intensification of efforts to eliminate all forms of violence against women and girls" (under agenda item 27 (a)) (convened by the delegations of France and the Netherlands)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 16:30 to 18:00, in Conference Room 2.

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/69/L.18, entitled "Preventing and combating corrupt practices and the transfer of proceeds of corruption, facilitating asset recovery and returning such assets to legitimate owners, in particular to countries of origin, in accordance with the United Nations Convention against Corruption" (under agenda item 105) (convened by the delegation of Colombia)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 17:00 to 19:00, in Conference Room C.

Forthcoming other meetings

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International Criminal Court: New York Working Group of the Assembly of States Parties (plan of action: universality)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3.

International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 16:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room 8.

Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS) (ambassadorial level)

Thursday, 30 October 2014, from 16:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 8.

Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS): The Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room E.

Eastern European Group (at the experts level)

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room E.

Forthcoming other activities

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Seminar on "Protection of the environment during armed conflict" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden, the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), the Rutgers University and the International Union for Conservation of Nature World, Commission on Environmental Law)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 09:30 to 17:00, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Monica Clarke, Permanent Mission of Sweden (e-mail monica.clarke@gov.se; tel. 1 (212) 583-2514).]

Panel discussion on "Freedom of expression, children's rights and the Internet" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Morocco, Norway and Uruguay, in collaboration with Institute DEMOS)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Vilde Værøyvik, Permanent Mission of Norway (e-mail vilde.michelsen.vaeroyvik@mfa.no; tel. 1 (646) 430-7510); or Ms. Yessy Sagastume (e-mail libert.expresion@gmail.com).]

Panel discussion on "How to strengthen international peace and stability in cyberspace?" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of the Netherlands, in collaboration with the Permanent Missions of the Republic of Korea and the United Kingdom)

Friday 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Marieke Vreeken, Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (e-mail marieke.vreeken@minbuza.nl).]

Panel discussion on "Religion in the workplace: comparative and international perspectives against the background of the annual report of the United Nations Special Rapporteur on freedom of religion or belief" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom)

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom (e-mail uk@un.int); or e-mail colton.forb@gmail.com.]

Panel discussion on the "International Law Today: Perspectives and Challenges" (organized by the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO))

Friday, 24 October 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[Delegates to the Sixth Committee are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Roy S. Lee, AALCO (e-mail royslee@optonline.net; tel. 1 (917) 623-2861).]

Briefing on "The United Nations Third World Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction" (by the Co-Chair of the Preparatory Committee) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Finland and Thailand, in collaboration with the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR))

Monday, 27 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Ina Hidayat, UNISDR (e-mail hidayat@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9534).]

Briefing on the report of the Secretary-General on "Safety and security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel" (by the Under-Secretary-General for the United Nations Department of Safety and Security (UNDSS)) (organized by the Delegation of the European Union)

Monday, 27 October 2014, from 14:00 to 15:30, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Magali Le Lièvre, Delegation of the European Union (e-mail magali.le-lievre@eeas.europa.eu; tel. 1 (212) 292-8614).]

Panel discussion on "The Role of Women in Countering Violent Extremism" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the United Arab Emirates and the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)

Monday, 27 October 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Amiera AlHefeiti, Permanent Mission of the United Arab Emirates (e-mail a.alhefeiti@mofa.gov.ae; tel. 1 (212) 371-0480).]

Dialogue with international law practitioners (with the President of the International Court of Justice and the International Criminal Court and a juriscounsult) (organized by the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization (AALCO))

Tuesday, 28 October 2014, from 08:15 to 09:45, in Conference Room 6.

[Delegates to the Sixth Committee are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Roy S. Lee, AALCO (e-mail royslee@optonline.net; tel. 1 (917) 623-2861).]

Event on "Chemical, Biological, Radiological or Nuclear (CBRN) National Action Plans: Meeting the Challenges of International Security" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Georgia, in cooperation with the United Nations Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI))

Wednesday, 29 October 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Giorgi Kvelashvili, Permanent Mission of Georgia (e-mail gkvelashvili@mfa.gov.ge; tel. 1 (212) 759-1949, ext. 208).]

Special event on "Responsibility of States: state of play and the way forward" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Czech Republic, Guatemala, Mexico, Portugal and South Africa)

Wednesday, 29 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Alexandra Corticada, Permanent Mission of Portugal (e-mail acorticada@missionofportugal.org); or Ms. Petra Benesova, Permanent Mission of Czech Republic (e-mail petra_benesova@mzv.cz).]

Panel discussion on "International Law and Asymmetric Warfare" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Israel)

Thursday, 30 October 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Michal Carmeli, Permanent Mission of Israel (e-mail Michalc@newyork.mfa.gov.il).]

Panel on Women, Peace and Security entitled "Boko Haram and Cycles of Violence: Strengthening Prevention Using the Women Peace and Security Agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein, in cooperation with the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination (LISD)/Princeton University and the Peace Women Project of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom)

Thursday, 30 October 2014, from 16:00 to 17:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Antonia Strachwitz, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail as@nyc.llv.li).]

Special event on "People-Centred Urbanization. Managing Ethnic Inclusion in Today's Cities" (co-organized by UN-Habitat, the Permanent Missions of China and Italy, and the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC)

Friday, 31 October 2014, from 09:30 to 12:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Francesca De Ferrari (e-mail deferrari@un.org); or please *click here*.]

Lecture on "Effective and high quality justice – The enforcement mechanism: a lacking element of the ICC system?" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Poland)

Friday, 31 October 2014, from 13:15 to 15:00, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Ewa Malys, Permanent Mission of Poland (e-mail newyork.un.rsvp@msz.gov.pl).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries
Vienna, 3–5 November 2014

The second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries will be hosted by the Government of Austria and be held from Monday, 3 to Wednesday, 5 November 2014, in the Vienna International Centre at the United Nations Office at Vienna, Wagramerstrasse 5, 1220 Vienna, pursuant to General Assembly resolution 68/270.

An information note for participants has been issued as document A/CONF.225/INF/1. Inscription on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings (item 8 of the provisional agenda, "General exchange of views") of the Conference *is open*.

All delegations wishing to inscribe in the general exchange of views are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat, *in writing*, by e-mail (Ms. Antonina Poliakova (poliakova@un.org); or fax 1 (212) 963-3783) indicating the name and level of the speaker. The list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be established on a first-come first-served basis with the customary protocol that ensures that Heads of States or Government speak first, followed by other heads of delegation. It is proposed that a time limit of *ten minutes* be established for each statement.

Under agenda item 9 (Statements by intergovernmental and other organizations) of the provisional agenda, there will be statements by: (a) intergovernmental organizations and other entities that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the capacity of observer in the sessions and work of all international conferences convened under its auspices; (b) associate members of regional commissions; (c) specialized agencies and related organizations; (d) other intergovernmental organizations; and (e) interested United Nations organs. Representatives of these organizations and entities may also contact the secretariat to be inscribed in the list of speakers. It is proposed that a time limit of *eight minutes* be established for each statement.

The Conference secretariat will publish a list of participants in the Conference. Delegations are requested to submit a comprehensive list of their respective delegations to the Conference, with functional titles and designations of all delegates to Ms. Anne Kwak (e-mail kwaks@un.org, with copy to banaszek@un.org) before 24 October 2014.

Credential of representatives

Permanent Missions are reminded that in accordance with rule 3 of the draft provisional rules of procedure of the second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries, the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers shall be submitted to the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States, who is also the Secretary-General of the Conference. The credentials shall be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister of Foreign Affairs or, in the case of the European Union, by the President of the European Commission. Permanent Missions are requested to submit their credentials to the Office of the High Representative located on the 32nd floor of the Secretariat Building (S-3245).

Economic and Social Council

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters
Tenth session
United Nations Office at Geneva (27-31 October 2014)

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2014/220 of 13 June 2014, the tenth session of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters will be held from Monday, 27, to Friday, 31 October 2014, at the United Nations Office at Geneva. Background materials, including the provisional agenda and organization of work, as well as details for registration, are available on the Financing for Development Website (*click here*). For further information, please contact the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Michael Lennard (e-mail lennard@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-5734).

Announcements

Press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly

The press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is now available online in all six official languages. Produced by the Department of Public Information (DPI), in cooperation with the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM), the kit is paper-free. Print-on-demand versions are available on the General Assembly website (*click here*), or via the PaperSmart portal (*click here*).

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of October:

Finding Mandates (English)

Finding Speeches (English)

General Assembly Documentation (English and French)

Introduction to Library Services (English)

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources (English)

Introduction to United Nations Budget documents (French)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English)

Overview of the Law Library (English)

Security Council Documentation (English)

Treaty Research (English)

Voting Information (English)

World Bank eLibrary Demo (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa: Deadline for applications – 24 October 2014

Applications for the 2015 United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa are now being accepted. *The deadline for applications is Friday, 24 October 2014.* The Regional Course for Africa is scheduled to be held in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 2 to 27 February 2015. This course is open for candidates from Member States of the United Nations, which are also members of the regional group of African States. The Regional Course will be conducted in English in 2015. The organization of the Regional Course is subject to funding.

For further information, including application forms, please consult the website of the Regional Courses at http://www.un.org/law/rcil; or contact the Codification Division at rcil-africa@un.org.

2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme: Call for applications

Applications for the 2015 United Nations International Law Fellowship Programme, scheduled to be held at the Peace Palace in The Hague, Netherlands, from 22 June to 31 July 2015, are now being accepted. The deadline for applications is *Monday, 1 December 2014.*

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General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

Main Committees

First Committee

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14th meeting

The Chair made a statement.

Thematic discussion

The Committee continued the second phase of its work, namely thematic discussion on specific subjects and the introduction and consideration of draft resolutions and decisions submitted on all disarmament and related international security agenda items (items 87 to 104).

The Committee continued its discussion on Conventional Weapons.

Statements were made by the representatives of India, Equatorial Guinea (on behalf of the Economic Community of Central African States, who also introduced the draft resolution entitled "Regional confidence-building measures: activities of the United Nations Standing Advisory Committee on Security Questions in Central Africa"), the United States, Nigeria (on behalf of the Group of African States, who also introduced the draft resolution entitled "United Nations Regional Centre for Peace and Disarmament in Africa"), Egypt (on behalf of the Arab Group), Cuba, Belarus, France (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.33, entitled "Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects"), Slovenia, Iraq, Japan, China, Senegal, Colombia (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/69/L.35, entitled "The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects"), Bangladesh, the Netherlands, Pakistan, Lithuania, Costa Rica, Kazakhstan, Finland, South Africa, Ethiopia, the Republic of Korea, the Republic of Moldova, Myanmar, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Djibouti, Nigeria, Switzerland, Romania, Austria, Australia (who introduced the draft resolution entitled "Preventing and combating illicit brokering activities") and Spain.

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

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12th meeting

Questions relating to information [item 54]

General debate

The Committee continued its general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Ukraine, Guatemala, Costa Rica, Japan, Lebanon, Bangladesh, the United Arab Emirates, Togo, the Russian Federation, the Sudan, Libya, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Jamaica, Jordan and Argentina.

A statement was made by the observer for the State of Palestine.

Right of reply

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Ukraine and Israel.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

Second Committee

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18th meeting

Macroeconomic policy questions: International trade and development [item 17 (a)]

The Chair (Italy) made a statement.

The Committee began its consideration of the sub-item and heard introductory statements by the President of the Trade and Development Board and the representative of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development.

The Committee then began its general discussion of the sub-item and heard statements by the representatives of Jamaica (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Australia (on behalf of the CAIRNS Group), Malaysia (on behalf of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations), Benin (on behalf of the Least Developed Countries), Qatar, Indonesia, Malaysia, India, Morocco, Ethiopia, the United Arab Emirates, Zambia, Thailand, China, Bangladesh, the Russian Federation, Kazakhstan, Brazil and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

A statement was also made by the representative of the United Nations Industrial Development Organization.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of agenda item 17 (a).

Organization of work

The Vice-Chair (Morocco) made a statement.

19th meeting

Eradication of poverty and other development issues [item 23]

(a) Implementation of the second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)

(b) Industrial development cooperation

(c) Women in development

The Vice-Chair (Poland) made a statement.

The Committee continued its general discussion of the item and its sub-items and heard statements by the representatives of the Sudan, India, Namibia, Trinidad and Tobago, Qatar, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Iraq, Zimbabwe, Morocco, the United Republic of Tanzania, Mexico, Ukraine, Nepal, the Russian Federation, Zambia, Myanmar, Tuvalu, Singapore, Mozambique, Thailand, Togo, Libya, Gabon, Bhutan, Japan, Malta, El Salvador, China, Bangladesh, Côte d'Ivoire, Tonga and Canada.

Organization of work

The Vice-Chair (Poland) made a statement.

Third Committee

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23rd meeting

Promotion and protection of human rights [item 68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives

The Committee began its joint consideration of the sub-items and heard an introductory statement by the High Commissioner for Human Rights.

The High Commissioner for Human Rights engaged in an interactive dialogue with the representatives of Suriname (on behalf of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM)), Canada, Norway, Senegal, Morocco, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Russian Federation, the United States, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, Egypt, Ireland, the European Union, Belarus, Eritrea, Germany, the Syrian Arab Republic, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, China, El Salvador, Malawi (on behalf of the Group of African States), Bangladesh, Chile, the Republic of Moldova, Japan, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Turkey, the Sudan, Pakistan, Iraq, Costa Rica, Mexico, France and Indonesia, as well as the observer of the State of Palestine.

The observer of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation also participated in the interactive dialogue.

Organization of work

The Secretary made a statement.

The Chair made a statement.

24th meeting

Promotion and protection of human rights [item 68]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives

The Committee continued its joint consideration of the sub-items and heard an introductory statement by the Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights, who subsequently responded to questions and comments made by the representatives of Cuba, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Belarus.

The Committee heard an introductory statement by the Chair of the Committee on Enforced Disappearances, who engaged in an interactive dialogue with the representatives of Switzerland, France, the European Union and Mexico.

The Committee heard an introductory statement by the Chair of the Working Group on Enforced or Involuntary Disappearances, who engaged in an interactive dialogue with the representatives of Argentina, the European Union, Croatia, the United States and Chile.

The Special Rapporteur on extrajudicial, summary or arbitrary executions also made a statement and engaged in an interactive dialogue with the representatives of Singapore, Pakistan, Switzerland, Kuwait, Norway, the Russian Federation, the European Union and Brazil.

The Special Rapporteur on the human rights to safe drinking water and sanitation also made a statement and engaged in an interactive dialogue with the representatives of

Switzerland, Portugal, Norway, Kenya, Germany, Spain, the European Union, the Maldives and Slovenia.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

The Secretary made a statement.

Sixth Committee

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17th meeting

Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission [item 75]

The Committee began its consideration of agenda item 75.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM)), South Africa (on behalf of the African Group), Costa Rica (on behalf of the Community of Latin American and Caribbean States (CELAC)), the European Union, also on behalf of its Member States (the candidate countries The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia, the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia aligned themselves with the statement), New Zealand (also on behalf of Australia and Canada (CANZ)), Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries), the Russian Federation, Ethiopia, Thailand, Israel, the United States, Malaysia, Viet Nam, India, Morocco, Algeria, Nigeria, El Salvador and the Republic of Korea.

The Committee concluded its debate on agenda item 75.

Preparatory Committee for the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries
Second session

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3rd meeting

The Co-Chair made an opening statement.

Preparations for the Conference (A/CONF.225/PC/7, A/CONF.225/PC/7/Add.1 and A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.3) [item 4]

The Preparatory Committee resumed its consideration of agenda item 4.

Statements were made by the representatives of Ethiopia and Bhutan.

The Co-Chair made a statement.

The Preparatory Committee approved the list of private sector and civil society organizations as contained in documents A/CONF.225/PC/7 and A/CONF.225/PC/7/Add.1 for participation as observers in the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries.

The Preparatory Committee decided to recommend the speakers for the opening plenary meeting of the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries as contained in paragraph 8 of A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.3, as orally revised.

The Preparatory Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 4.

Approval of the draft outcome document for submission to the Conference [item 5]

The Preparatory Committee resumed its consideration of agenda item 5.

The Preparatory Committee decided to annex the draft Programme of Action for Landlocked Developing Countries for the Decade 2014-2024, contained in an informal paper, to the report of the session, for finalization by the Conference, with the understanding that delegations would continue to meet informally before the Conference to reach consensus on the text.

The Preparatory Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 5.

Adoption of the report of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Committee (A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.2) [item 7]

The Rapporteur made a statement, in the course of which she introduced and orally revised the draft report contained in A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.2.

The representative of Chile made a statement.

The Preparatory Committee adopted the draft report as contained in A/CONF.225/PC/CRP.2, as orally revised, and entrusted the Rapporteur to finalize the report in collaboration with the Bureau and the Secretariat.

The Preparatory Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 7.

Closure of the second session of the Intergovernmental Preparatory Committee

Mr. Gyan Chandra Archarya, Under-Secretary-General and High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States and Secretary-General of the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries, made a statement.

The Co-Chair made a concluding statement.

The second session of the Preparatory Committee for the Second United Nations Conference on Landlocked Developing Countries was declared concluded.

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